

COMMISSION DIRECTIVE

ADMINISTRATIVE MATTERS	<input type="checkbox"/>	DATE	<u>July 11, 2007</u>
MOTOR CARRIER MATTERS	<input type="checkbox"/>	DOCKET NO.	<u>2007-135-WS</u>
UTILITIES MATTERS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		<u></u>

SUBJECT:

DOCKET NO. 2007-135-WS - Application of Wyboo Plantation Utilities, Incorporated for Expansion of Service Territory (Map - Exhibit 3 Available for View at the Commission) – Discuss with the Commission a Motion to Postpone or Cancel the Hearing Filed by T. Lowndes Pope, Esquire.

COMMISSION ACTION:

Wyboo Plantation Utilities requests that we cancel the August 8 hearing scheduled to determine whether to approve an extension of its territory. Wyboo maintains that a hearing is unnecessary and the added service territory should be approved because the extension merely allows Wyboo to provide service to customers that it already serves as well as a limited number of other customers in certain contiguous areas. However, I move that we deny this request and proceed to the hearing. I have concern in granting Wyboo an extension of territory without a hearing if it is already providing unauthorized service to the areas of proposed expansion as the record seems to indicate. I would like to note that the Commission recently found Wyboo committed this violation in Docket No. 2007-13-WS. In addition, another unresolved issue from the previous docket concerns the company's bond. This bond, in the form of a personal financial statement, was ordered to be updated for the areas it currently serves – and has yet to be received by the Commission. Added territory may require an even greater bond, and I feel it is necessary to hear how the company intends to resolve this matter. Moreover, allegations that Wyboo is violating Commission orders remain unresolved and must be addressed in conjunction with the request to expand its territory. I believe that we must have a hearing to resolve these issues as we consider increasing Wyboo's responsibility to Water and Sewer customers.

PRESIDING	<u>Hamilton</u>				Session:	Regular
	MOTION	YES	NO	OTHER	Time of Session	<u>2:30 PM</u>
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HOWARD	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		DENIED	<u></u>
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